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SUBJ: POLISH MFA RESPONSE TO HIJACKING OF POLISH AIRLINER

REF: USBERLIN 2053 (NOTAL)

1. ACTING DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT III, NORTH AMERICAN
AFFAIRS, OF THE MFA, RYSZARD KRYSTOSIK, CALLED IN AN
EMBASSY OFFICER TO DISCUSS THE HIJACKING OF LOT 165.
KRYSTOSIK SAID THE GOP "COUNTS ON AND EXPECTS THE FULL
COOPERATION OF THE US AUTHORITIES SO THAT THE PLANE CAN
TAKE OFF FOR SCHOENEFELD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE" AND ALSO
"IN ASSURING, IF NECESSARY, THE TRANSFER OF THE PASSENGERS
TO EAST BERLIN AS WELL AS THE EXTRADITION OF THE
HIJACKER." THE GOP, KRYSTOSIK CONTINUED, "EXPECTS
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FULL ACCESS TO THE PILOT OF THE PLANE." THE GOP,
KRYSTOSIK CONCLUDED, " IS INSTRUCTING THE POLISH
EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON TO GET IN TOUCH WITH THE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE."

2. THE BRITISH AND FRENCH EMBASSIES HAVE INFORMED
US THAT THE MFA TELEPHONED THEM WITH REQUESTS FOR

ASSISTANCE IN EXPEDITING THE RETURN OF THE AIRCRAFT
AND THE PASSENGERS AS WELL AS THE EXTRADITION OF
THE HIJACKER.

3. IN BOTH INSTANCES, "THE SPIRIT OF THE BONN SUMMIT
DECLARATION" WAS CITED.
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